Recycling Cart Information

When does my recycling cart get picked up?

The City of Cudahy contracts with Advanced Disposal for the collection of residential recycling. Residential recycling is picked up every other week utilizing the City provided cart. Carts must be free & clear of obstacles & must be placed out by 6:00 a.m. of your garbage day.

Why wasn't my cart picked up?

Some reasons why your cart was not picked up: maybe wasn't out in time, it could've been placed too close to an obstruction, blocked by a car, frozen in the snow, or material was stacked on top of the cart. For alley service, if the entire alley is not picked up, it's probably due to a vehicle blocking the alley and the truck couldn't access. The collection truck is large and needs the full width of the alley. Many times people park cars or service vehicles along the alley which precludes pick-up. If the alley is obstructed, Advanced Disposal is not required to go back & pick up garbage, so please make sure you and your neighbors do not obstruct the alley.

What can I put in my recycling cart?

Any plastic containers marked No. 1-7, Aluminum Cans, Tin or Bi-Metal Containers, glass containers, paper & cardboard. Cans should be rinsed thoroughly. Cardboard should be flattened. NO contaminated cardboard such as delivery pizza boxes (these should go in your garbage cart). Items do not need to be separated.

What if everything will not fit in the cart? If you continually have a problem with too much recycling material, you can order an extra recycling cart by contacting the Department of Public Works. You may also take the material down to the Drop-Off site with your recycling passes.

Need a special pick up?

A special pick up for disposal may be requested for a fee through Advanced Disposal. Please call (262) 679-0860.

Hazardous Items for Disposal?

Please contact MMSD, (414) 225-2066 or go to mmsd.com for more info.

Freon-Containing Appliances?

The City Drop-Off site accepts these for free during normal business hours.

WAS YOUR PICK UP MISSED? Contact Advanced Disposal at

(262) 679-0860
IS YOUR CART DAMAGED OR
MISSING?

Contact the DPW at (414) 769-2216



City Drop-Off Site Procedures

Who can use this site?

Residential Property owners who pay a garbage & recycling fee are eligible to use the site. Residential Property owners wishing to use the site must obtain annual passes for garbage & yard waste disposal through the Department of Public Works office.

How do I obtain the annual passes?

Passes can be obtained In Person at the Department of Public Works Counter, however, this may take 30 minutes or longer to process so it is *strongly encouraged* to go to the <u>City of Cudahy DPW Drop Off Site</u> webpage for instructions & forms. You can pre-order on the website & request tickets to be mailed to you OR request In-Person pick up 2 business days after you submit the completed order form. **NO PHONE PRE-ORDERS ACCEPTED**

I am a tenant – Why can't I obtain passes?

Passes are issued to the property owner (Landlord) ONLY. *Please note the Landlord IS NOT OBLIGATED under law, to provide a tenant with Drop-Off passes.*

Now that I have passes, what's next?

Once you receive your passes you're able to use Drop-Off Site during days and times it is open. You'll need to present a pass and your current ID to the attendant. The address on the pass needs to match the address on the ID. The property owner must be present to verify the address with the property owner ID.

What if my ID doesn't show the Cudahy property address?

If you are a new property owner OR a Landlord who doesn't have a Cudahy address, you will be required to bring in property tax papers or closing documents showing your mailing address linked with the Cudahy property.

Are there limits to what and how much I can deposit at the Drop-Off Site?

Yes. Please refer to the <u>City of Cudahy DPW Drop Off Site</u> webpage for information

What if I lose my passes or I need more?

Eligible residents are limited to (2) passes and (1) punch card. Lost or stolen passes are available for a one time re-issue of \$50 for first pass & \$100 for second pass. Yard waste punch cards are eligible for a one time re-issue, \$50 or \$4 per punch.



THE CITY OF CUDAHY RECYCLING

2019 NEWSLETTER

The City of Cudahy owns & operates a Recycling & Drop-Off site. The purpose of the Drop-Off Site was and continues to be a place where residential property owners could dispose of small amounts of yard waste and a few excess bulky items that could not fit in the residential garbage cart. It was never intended or funded to accept

large scale landscaping projects such as removing a tree or patio. These types of projects warrant a dumpster. It was never intended to provide disposal for home improvement projects such as bathroom remodeling, etc. Again, property owners should pay for a dumpster. It was never intended to provide an outlet for individuals buying new mattresses or furniture. The places you bought the furniture should take the old stuff away. If not, get a dumpster. It was never intended for the property owner who is moving grandma out and needs to get rid of 40 years of junk or the landlord who needs to get rid of an entire apartment after eviction. Again – get a dumpster. It was never intended to offset small business owners working out of their houses. This is the cost of doing business and it should not be borne by others.

When property owners use the Drop-Off site for large scale projects it puts a burden on all the fee paying property owners who use the Drop-Off site the way it was intended. Each year the City has a difficult time funding the Drop-Off site. Most communities do not accept residential waste at their Drop-Off sites or they charge for the disposal. On average, it costs the City \$110.00 per pick-up truck load to get rid of that waste. With a garbage fee of \$35.00 per cart the cost doesn't cover the weekly collection of your cart AND 2 pick-up truck loads at the Drop-off. So funding of the garbage disposal at the Drop-Off site has to come from other sources within the Department of Public Works budget such as pavement patching, tree removal and the like. Yard waste disposal is funded solely from the recycling fee but this fee also pays for other items such as leaf collection, new carts and curbside pick-up. The only way to continue to fund this is to continually increase the recycling fee. But that doesn't seem fair to those who use the Drop-Off site the way it was intended or don't use it at all. So the Department and the Board of Public Works continually has to do a balancing act between service levels and funding. As funding becomes more difficult it will eventually mean the closing of the Drop-Off site altogether. So we are asking property owners to use the Drop-Off site as it was intended and when you have large scale projects or you get a new mattress - pay to have it hauled away.

Drop-Off Site Conduct

The Drop-Off site is monitored by cameras. Residents who argue, mistreat, dispose of harmful or hazardous waste, or who do not follow required drop-off procedures, will not be permitted to use the drop-off site for a minimum of 3 years.

DROP-OFF SITE INFORMATION

Location

5631 S. Pennsylvania Ave.

CLOSED

December 9, 2018 - April 5, 2019

Spring/Summer Hours

April 6, 2019 - September 28, 2019

Thursdays

3:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Saturdays

8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.
Closed Saturday, April 20 , May 25,
& August 31st.

Fall Hours

October 5, 2019 - December 7, 2019

Saturdays

8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Closed Saturday November 30th

Closed

December 8, 2019 to April 2020

Please see Back Page for Drop-Off Site Procedural Changes

2019 E-Waste Collection Dates - The City of Cudahy will be holding electronic waste collection days again at the City's Drop-Off site located at 5631 South Pennsylvania Ave. See enclosed flier for more info!

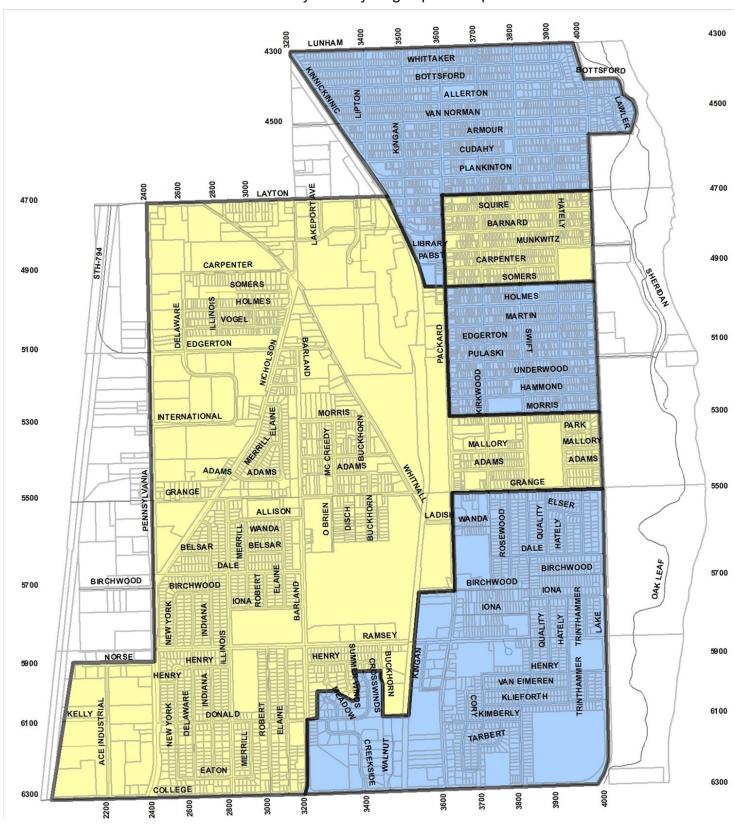
Saturday, May 18, 2019 & Saturday, September 21, 2019

8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

CITY OF CUDAHY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS (414) 769-2216 OR WWW.CUDAHY-WI.GOV

2019 Recycling Pickup Map & Calendar

Recycling is collected every other week on the same day as garbage collection. Garbage is collected weekly. Shown below is a Yellow and Blue color coordinated map. The color on the map corresponds with the color on the calendar of the week your recycling is picked up.



Holiday Garbage Pickup - Days marked in red on the calendar represent days that there will be no pick-up. During the week in which the holiday falls, pick-up will be one day later following the holiday.

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Yellow — Recycling Collection Week on Same Day as Garbage Collected

Blue — Recycling Collection Week on Same Day as Garbage Collected

Red — Holiday/No Pickup, Garbage & Recycling Picked up One Day Later